THE MEAL PAIL NATIONAL STREET

# A SHOT

That Will Startle the Entire Civilized World.

A Nearly Successful Attempt I pon the Life of President Garfield.

Shot Down by an Assassin in the Waiting-Room of a Washington Railway Depot.

Only by Immediate Arrest and Seclusion.

the Nation. Details of the Atrocious Crime

as Gathered from Witnesses

Avenge the Outrage Upon

on the Spot. Aut-cedents of the Miserable Maniac Who Plunged the Re-

public Into Mourning.

Press Good Hopes of His Ultimate Recovery.

Sorres and Indignation Expressed Throughout the Whole Country.

### LATEST OFFICIAL BULLETINS.

WASHINGTON, July 3-1:15 a.m.-The following official bulletin has just been issued

Words of Cheering Import.

fired, expresses the opinion that the wounds will not prove mortal. The shooting occurred immediately after the President had entered, walking arm-in arm with Section 1. ying in a private room in the officers' quar-Bliss, Surgeon-General Barnes and Arrest of the Would be Assassin.

President is now being conveyed to the Ex-ecutive Mansion, under a strong escort of Metropolitan Police, and is now as com-fornia pistol. It made a very loud report. Parke says both shots were fired white the fortable as possible in his chamber at the White House, and all persons are excluded White House, and all persons are excluded from the grounds surrounding the Mansion. Immense crowds surrounded the grounds. The physicians attending the President are The President and Carney got hold of the assume to New York seven or eight years ago, and upon his return, in 1876, professed to have been converted, and delivered several lectures under the Association to the President are The President are The President are The President and Carney got hold of the association to the President are The President ar The physicians attending the President are now holding a consultation. Various running and a letter in his hand, and wanted the officers of the plan of the New York Herald, but as he life in his insanity in the event of his capmore are afford. One is that the President is dangerously and another that he has been mortally wounded. He was shot twice, one tall entering from the rear to one wide.

had a letter in his hand, and wanted the officers to take it to General Sherman, saying it would be all right. The prisoner made no resistance, saying he had contemplated the mortally wounded. He was shot twice, one tall entering from the rear to one wide.

had a letter in his hand, and wanted the officers of the New York Heraid, but as he had neither capital nor backing the matter was soon dropped by him. He left for was soon dropped by him. He left for was soon dropped by him. He left for was soon dropped by him. Washington several months ago. one hall entering from the rear to one side, and it is believed to have passed through the kidneys. The doctors hold out some hope of a possible recovery, but it is plain that they feel but little if any hope. One

on-Agent Carney arrested the assassio,

While he was being carried up stairs he smiled sadly and waved his hand in recognition of friends. His sufferings must have been intense, but he gave no sign of it, and the Secret Service, who happened to be standing near, heard the shot and rushed to assist, and just as the assassin was about to raise his pistol, with three chambers still leaded, to shoot Secretary Blaine, it is thought, throttled him and the work of the pistol found in the assassin's hand is a murderous looking weapon. It is a five chambered, heavy navy revolver of forty-four caliber. It makes a hole as large as a musket-ball. The balls remaining in it were designed for self-balls remaining and the President say that the man should and the President say that the man should and the President say that the man should and the form of the shoulder and the feron of the shoulder and the feron of the shoulder and the feron of the shoulder blade. Those who stood near say that Guiteau made The Dastardly Scoundrel Saved and threw him to the ground. The pistol found in the assassin's hand is a murderous An Enraged Populace Eager to and collected, but intensely pale. Doctors were summoned by telephone and telegraph, and Dr. Bliss spedily appeared upon the scene. There soon followed him a score of the most prominent physicians in the city.
Dr. Bliss at first said, "It is a safe wound."
After he had watched the President for a few moments he said, with great thoughtfulness, "It is not necessarily a mortal wound." Soon after that Colonel Robert Ingersoll was admitted to the room. The President stretched out his hand, and in a voice not strong said, "I am glad you have come." Colonel Ingersoll said, "Are you in pain?" The President answered, "I feel a prickly sensation in my feet." One of the physicians

Washington, July 2.—Before the Presi-ent was removed from the depot this morn-They reminded one strongly of the friends and relatives of a dying man waiting in an ladies, with faces pale with excitement and eyes bloodshot with straining, stared fixedly wounded man within. At last the dor opened and some of the doctors came out. The throng pressed closely around them and begged for information. The medical men

in any immediate danger, and, in fact, there are hopes of his recovery."
The purport of these words was conveyed to all the people present, and was transmitted from lip to lip and from lip to wire all over from lip to lip and from lip to wire all over the country. The city drew a long breath, and the excitement, which had been at white heat thus far, cooled off. Then there was a stir on the outer edge of the crowd and the people were moved off right and left every way. It was to make room for an ambulance, which had been summoned to transport the suffering President to the White House. Tenderly was he borne from the building to the vehicle, and quietly and gently was he laid upon a mattress therein. Then the vehicle drove off slowly to the White House, followed at a respectful distance by the crowd. When he reached it he was borne inside and followed by the Surgeon. Bliss, who was taken to the de-lew minutes after the shots were

Details of the Dastardly Deed. Washington, July 2.—The President had alighted from his carriage, and was passing through the ladies' room to the cars. When about four feet inside of the room, the Washington, July 2.—The following the cars. tion from which they came, with a view of assassin, who was within three feet of him arresting the would-be assassin. Before fired one shot. The President was dazed miscreant, who made no resistance. Officer Carney, the depot policeman, rushed up and took hold of the assassiu, and immediately afterward Officer Scott also had hold of him. Parke let the officers have him, and turned his attention to the President. Help came, and the President was taken up stairs. He he asked that his shoes be taken off, saying "Go right now and send a telegram to Mrs.

come to Washington immediately." This dispatch was sent, and a special was at once ing by officers in the depot. He was first sent to Long Branch for Mrs. Garfield. See the police freadquarters, and subserved by the party Blaine was not going with the party. quently removed to the District jail. It is removed that the prisoner is one Guiteau, exConsul to Marseilles, who was removed from him, but seeing that he was grabbed just as he got out of the room, I came to the President, and found him the state Committee, that he believed istration. The pictol with which the firing was done is a California weapon, with an extremely heavy saliber, better known as a "Bulldozer."

THIRD DISPATCH.

The President Taken to the Executive Mainston.

Washington, July 2—10:15 s.m.—The Washington, July 2—10:15 s.m.—The used was a revolver about seven inches long. It had an ivory handle. The caliber was conserved to the Executive and the case in the case in the case. Barnes was chairman of the County Committee. Guiteau said he came from Chicago.

Guiteau's Chicago Record Disreputable and Half-Crayy.

Chicago July 2—Charles Guiteau, the man who attempted to assassinate the President, has been more or less known in Chicago. he got out of the room, I to the President, and found

shot went through his arm. Two companies of regulars from the Washington barracks have been ordered out to preserve quiet.

FOURTH DISPATCH.

wanted the hackman to drive very fast when he should get in the hack. He agreed to pay two dollars for the hack on condition there was a sensation created and excitement manifested only second to that when President Lincoln was assassinated in April, 1865. The news spread from corner to corner as if by magic, and in a twinkling the bulletin boards of the telegraph offices. FOURTH DISPATCH.

Exidently a Sensational Rumor.

Washington, July 2-10:40 a.m.—The President's friends rushed to him as he fell, and Blaine called for Bockwell. Sta-Marrative of an Eye-Witness.

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Washington, July 2.—City Postmaster

## REGARDING THE ASSASSIN.

At the District Jail.

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Washington, July 2.—The net was so unexpected and Guiteau was rushed off to the jail so promptly that the crowd had not time to think of lynching him, and after he had been put in jail many were heard to say they were sorry they had not "strung him up."

The populace was very much excited and had Guiteau been where the mob could reach him when the character of his cowardly crime became generally known, he would have probably been mobbed. A company of United States troops has been put on guard at the White House, as there are not police enough here to properly guard the place.

Washington, July 2.—Detective McElfresh, who took Guiteau to jail, says he asked him, "Where are you from?" "I am," he replied, "a native-born American, born in Chicago." Guiteau said he was a lawyer and a theologian. McElfresh asked, "Why did you do this?" to which he replied, "I did it to save the Republican party." "What is your polities?" said McElfresh. He answered, "I am a Stalwart among the Stalwarts. With Garfield out of the way we can carry all the Northern States, and with him in the way we can't carry a single one." He then said to McElfresh, "You stick to me, and have me put in the third story front at the jail,

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 2.—The assassin of the President, Charles Guiteau, was in this

ple would not pay to go to a political meet-ing, the lecture was not delivered. He after-ward wanted to be engaged as a speaker by the Republican Committee, but leading Re-

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The following letand made no attempt at self-protection. Mr.
Blaine had turned toward one door, when
the assassin fired a second shot. In ten seccharge of the War Department:"

> On receiving the above, General Sherman gaye it the following indorsement: HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY, WASHINGTON, July 2, 1881-11:25 n.m.

A Reminiscence of Guiteau. ALBANY, July 2.-Thurlow Weed Barne Guiteau, the man who shot President Garfor a chance to speak on the stump for the Republican National ticket. Guiteau said he had been employed by the Republican State Committee to do work at New York,

dent, hus been more or less known in Chicago for the past ten years. He was a disreputa-ble lawyer and has generally been considered half insane; went to New York seven or

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Words of Evil Omen.

Words of Evil Omen. Washington, July 2.—City Postmaster
Ainger, who was present at the shoeting, is
quoted as saying: "I have been in many
battles and have seen many men mortally
wounded, and never one with a face that quoted as saying: "I have been in many battles and have seen many men mortally wounded, and never one with a face that more clearly showed certain death than the reporter this morning: "I was quite well acquainted with Guiteau. His name is Charles Guiteau. During the winters of 1878 and 779 he had a desk in my office in Scoundrel! this city, and attempted to practice law here. He had but little business, and seemed very

Washington, July 2.—The District jail, poor. Thund it was winter, he went about Frenchman by birth, and hails from Chicago.

ed. Pursuant to the orders from the Attorney-General, the officer in charge of the jail declined to give any further information, nor would be state in what cell the prisoner was confined. This officer was an attendant at the old city jull at the time of the assassination of President Lincoln.

Guitean a Persistent office-Seeker-Washington, July 2—The control of the subject. While berging and supported the prisoner of notions concerning every imaginable subject. While berging and supported to have no funds. Successful attention given to any kind of law business; ten years practice in New York and Chicken the officer was practice in New York and Chicken the first to France, but did not desire it to wood's that he expected to be appointed Minimum of the midst of it. I can't understand it. I can only pray to Heaven that it is not true." When Halstead had finished he turned to a triend standing near by, and walked away with him. His sorrow was extreme, for, almost the old city jull at the time of the assassination of President Lincoln.

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Another person who knew him while here was Adolph Herdegen, a practicing attorney. He describes him as a dark and swarthy looking individual, who was evidently troubled with hypochondria, and full of all manner of notions concerning every imaginable subject. While the registered at the Riggs House, Guiteau the registered at the Right who are subject to Plance seeking to have a special to the mi

What Guitean Said to a Detective. WASHINGTON, July 2.—Detective McElfresh

me put in the third story front at the jail, and General Sherman is coming down to take charge. Arthur and all those men are my friends, and I'll have you made Chief of will find that I left a bundle of papers at the news stand, which will explain all." McElfresh asked him: "Is there anybody else with you in this matter?" He answered, "Not a living soul. I contemplated this thing for the last six weeks, and would have shot him when he went away with Mrs. Garfield, but I looked at her and she looked so bad that I changed my mind." On reaching the jail Mr. Russ, the Deputy Warden, said: "This man has been here before." He said "Yes. I was down here last Saturday morning and wanted them to let me look through, and they told me that I couldn't, but to come on Monday." He was asked, "What was your object in looking

Washington, July 2.—The assessin has been hanging about here for nearly two of a boardinghouse at 922 Fourteenth street because he did not pay his board. He owes fifty dollars for board, and kept saying he would get a big foreign mission in a few days, when he would pay up. He dressed shabbily and acted strangely, so the landlady and boarders say, and some of them formed the opinion he was crazy. He made his appear-ance at the State Department in a few weeks after Garfield was inaugurated, and made thirty years. He says Director-of-the-Min Burchard knows all his family. Many think that the fellow was naturally light-headed and that he brooded over his-disappointmen

Washington, July 2.—There is a theory which has many adherents, that the attempt cited in support of this theory that Guiteau be in readiness to drive him swiftly in the direction of the Congressional cemetery as he made his appearance on returning He left for that the President's assassination was pre-meditated, and he went to Long Branch for the purpose of shooting him there, but he was deterred by the enfeebled and saddened condition of Mrs. Garfield, which appealed so strongly to his sense of humanity, that he came back without carrying out his intention. Those by whom Guiteau had been JAMES G. BLAINE, Secretary of State. no symptoms of insanity, and it is understood that the letter which has already been telegraphed, addressed to "The White House," is the annexed telegram in the only document in the collection which supports the theory of insanity. It is reported

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ty of hearly all murderers that their set far apart, and Guiteau, he says, particulars received of the shooting of the

ant at the old city jail at the time of the assessination of President Lincoln.

Guitean a Ferristent office-Seeker.

Washington, July 2.—The report that Guiteau was once a consul is untrue. Mr. Hill Assistant Secretary of State, says Guiteau never had any foreign appointment, but that he has been a persistent, almost daily applicate applied in person or wrote letters to the President or Secretary Blaine every day. His family is respectable, and live in Free port, Illinois. Charles Guiteau is a Canadian Freechman by birth, and hails from Chicago. He came here in the month of February with recommendations from various parties in Illinois, to secure the United States Consultation of President in Mew York.

Mew York, July 2.—A lawyer in this city who has had some indirect legal dealings with the Chicago lawyer, Chas. Guiteau, asys the summer of notions concerning every imaginable study and the subject of summer of notions concerning every imaginable subject. While here he was busied a who has had some indirect legal dealings who has had some indirec however, wrote again to Bennett intimating that if he would engage in a certain news that if he would engage in a certain news-paper enterprise in Chicago with him (iui-teau) the claim for \$100,000 could be wiped ling turned away and went to his room. cured judgment for \$900. The judgment was attached on the ground of fraud, and although fraud could not be proven the Court set aside the judgment. It is understood that many of his legal practices were based upon the same order of professional

WORTHY HER HIGH STATION.

Long Branch, July 2.—General Swain, Mrs. Garfield, Mrs. Rockwell and Miss Mol-lie Garfield left here on a special car at 12:47 this afternoon. Mrs. Garfield knows all, and

PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—The Pennsylvania railroad has ordered a locomotive and car at Jersey City to carry Mrs. Garfield to Washington. She had arranged to meet her husband at Jersey City to-day, and left Long Branch this morning on the Central road for Jersey City. The messa, e informing her of the attempted assassination is awaiting her arrival at the latter place. There is much excitement here.

LONG BRANCH, July 2.—General Grant

Her physicians allow her to see none of the serious dispatches, but dictate hopeful ones o her. A dispatch to General Grant has re-tieved Mrs. Garfield's anxiety. It says the President's wounds are not mortal, being shot in the arm and hip. Mrs. Garfield will depart on a special train for Washington at 1 o'clock. She is now more composed. Dr. Bliss has just telegraphed that the wounds are not presently more than the special trains of the second state. Her Courage and Self-Control.

Washington, July 2—11 p.m.—Mrs. Gar-field, although still weak from recent illness, and shocked by the suddenness of grief which hes come to her, has behaved since

Secretary Blaine to General Arthur. WASHINGTON, July 2.-At the same time washington, July 2.—At the same time that Secretary Blaine telegraphed to Minister Lowell he filed a verbatim copy of his telegram to Minister Lowell to Vice-President Arthur, with the exception that he closed by saying: "I will keep you advised of his condition." This telegram was duly forwarded, but owing to a misunderstanding at the telegraph office, was not given out for General Grant to Secretary Lincoln

Washington, July 2.—The following dis-patch has been received by Sccretary Lin Please dispatch me the condition of the dent. The news received conflicts. I hop

General Arthur Officially Notified. WASHINGTON, July 2.- The following dis patch has just been telegraphed: WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2, 1881. Hon, C. A. Arthur, Vice-President, New York:

examined since the shooting says he shows General Hancock to General Sherman NEW YORK, July 2.—General Hancock sent the annexed telegram in answer to a GOVERNORS ISLAND, July 2, 1881. warat W. T. Sherman, Washington: that Guiteau had an accomplice, whose description is in the hands of the police, and further developments are anxiously looked for.

Something Regarding the Assassin.

General W. T. Sherman, Washington:
I trust that the result of the assault upon the fife of the President to-day may not have fatal country the set may be shown to have been that of a madman. Thanks for your dispatch and for your promise of further information.

W. S. HANCOCK.

LONG BRANCH, July 2.—General Grant, in spenking about the attempted assassination, says; "If this be the outgrowth of Nihilism in our country, I am in favor of crushing it out immediately by the prompt execution of the would be assassins and their followers."

The Papers reformed to above here all the reported to above have not yet and the control of the

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Colonel Robert G.
Ingersoll says he knew the assassin well, and
had always regarded him as a quiet, sober
and sane man; and that he has no profession,
but has been an office-holder and office-seeker. Colonel Ingersoll is of opinion that his
insanity is feigned. The assassin's resolution
to murder President Garfield was evidently
intended by the close watch he kept upon intended, by the close watch he kept upon the movements of his Excellency for the past few days.

Washington, July 2.—Secretary Blaine was met by a representative of the press just as he was about leaving the White House, as he was about leaving the White House, after the physicians had been called in for consultation. He said. "I don't know what to make of it. It is too horrible. The man who did the shooting has been hanging around the Department of State for some time. He has had no occasion beyond his own desires to apply for an appointment, and we have never encouraged him. He is crazy, I believe. Guitean has been around the White House for several days, acting in crazy, I believe. Guiteau has seen around the White House for several days, acting in a strange manner, and the attaches thought him crazy. He was noticed in the White House grounds at dusk last evening. This morning he engaged a carriage at a stable, saying he wanted a quick team; that he wanted to stop at the depot only a minute, then go over to Arlington." Vice-President Arthur's Movements.

New York, July 2.—Senator Jones, of Nevada, said he had conversed with both Vice-President Arthur and Mr. Conkling dent, and was sure that neither of them knew anything about the man who had been arrested for the crime. In fact, they had said they had not heard before of either of the they had not heard before of either of the names sent by telegraph as that of the assassin. They both had expressed great sorrow that such a crime could have been perpetrated in this free country. Senator Jones said he had asked Vice-President Arthur whether he would go on to Washington tonight or not, and had received the answer that he certainly would not go unless sent for as he could not well senarate himself. States Minister to Austria. Afterward he states Minister to Austria. Afterward he applied for Consul-General at Paris without having withdrawn the first application. He had no recommendation or indorsement whatever. He filed no paper with his application except a copy of a speech which he claimed he had made in the Presidential cantellar and the president state of a side of the present state of affairs this could not well be done. Conkling and Arthur Inteviewed.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The Post says: Vice-President Arthur and Ex-Senator Conkling arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. There arrived at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. There was a gathering of politicians about them as they walked into the hotel together through the Fifth avenue entrance. The ex-Senator spoke a few words to the clerk, gathered up a few letters which had arrived for him, and ran briskly across the hall to the stairway, dismissing one or two reporters who tried to interrupt him with a wave of his hand, and beneated up the stairway two states at a fine. bounded up the stairway two steps at a time. In the meanwhile Vice-President Arthur stood at the foot of the stairway. He apparently endeavored to maintain a cool demeanor, but it was evident that he was much excited by the news of the attempted assas-sination. A reporter asked him if he had heard of the news and what his plans are. His reply was: "I have just come from Albany. I came down on the night boat, which was detained by the fog, and have just arrived in this city, and did not hear the news until four minutes ago. What is the latest report?" "The latest dispatch says: Dr. Bliss does not think that the wound will prove mortal." General Arthur: "I certainly trust so. It is a shocking event, and has so staggered me that I do not know what to think." "Will you go to Washing-

Philadelphia Terribly Excited.

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Philadelphia July 2.—The public is greatly excited here over the news from Washington. Large crowds congregate at the bulletin boards at the newspaper and telegraph offices, and eagerly watch for news as it is posted up. The excitement among the Third street people is intense. The market is breaking badly. The News at Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The news down town was received with consternation, and caused much excitement on Wall street. The brokers They besieged Kernan's News Agency, on Broad street, where dispatches were constantly arriving and being distributed. Groups were seen in the streets anxiously discussing the subject, and the newsboys did a heavy business in extress. At the opening of the Stock Exchange the news depressed the market, but further dispatches announcing that the wounded President was in a fair that the wounded President wa

At the New York Sub-Treasury. New York, July 2.—At the Sub-Treasury and Customhouse there was also much ex-citement over the news, and great concern expressed for General Garfield's recovery. and messengers were constantly arriving with the latest particulars. The Collector was somewhat agitated, and when asked for was somewhat agitated, and when asked for his opinion regarding the attempted assassination, met the request with the question, "What's the latest?" When informed that the President would probably recover, he said he hoped so, and would not venture an opinion on the effect of the news; neither would he say whether he considered that the attempt had any political significance, but merely remarked: "If the President dies, why General Arthur will be President."

Buffalo, July 2.—The report of the attempted assassination of President Garfield breated the most intense excitement in this city this morning. All political differences are for the time forgotten, and a universal expression of sorrow, coupled with a loud call for vengeance upon his would-be murderer, prevails among all. Business was for a time almost entirely suspended, and people were gathered upon the street corners discussing the affair. The Commercial Advertiser were gathered upon the street corners dis-cussing the affair. The Commercial Advertiser (Republican) alludes to the matter in sub-stance as follows: "In the hight of a crisis like this the pen falters, and it is hard to describe the effect of such startling news upon the people of a great nation. The dispatches from every part of the country report that the excitement has been without precedent or parallel since the hour when the name of Lincoln was placed upon the roll of martyred dead. Business is suspended. Men have little thought or care for the affairs of every-day life when they know that the assassin day life when they know that the assassin has aimed at the head of the National Gov the esteem and affection of his fellow-citi-zens. That he may be spared and restored to the vigorous health that has been his bless-ing, is the prayer that ascends to the Great Ruler of Nations from millions of people in

In the New York Legislature ALBANY, July 2.—A dispatch from Washington announcing that Dr. Bliss reports the President's wound not mortal, was read by the Deputy-Clerk of the Assembly, and rethe President was conscious, but the result doubtful, caused great sadness. After the read-ing of the journal Mr. Murphy moved that the House take a recess till five minutes of 12 consequence of the terrible news from Washington. He then referred to the progress of the victim from the townath to the Presidency, and said the horror of the act just committed was too great for expression, too stupendous for adequate punishment. The minority of this House wouldmingle its feeling of condemnation with those of the entire country and world. In the Senate the fol-lowing resolution was offered:

much of the resolution, yet he asked to de-fer expressions of indignation till further particulars were received from the White House. He, however, did not object to the resolution, which was then adopted by a riva the recess Mr. Robertson received Associated Press dispatches which were read from the desk, Senators and employes gathering about the reader. Similar resolutions were passed by the Assembly.

Sir Edward Thornton:

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EARL GRANVILLE, Foreign Office, London What is the The News at New York Police Head-

New York, July 2.—The news of the shooting of President Garfield reached police headquarters simultaneously with the report that the President was dead. Amid the utwhat to think." "Will you go to Washington at once?" "No, sir; that is not my intention; but I do not care to talk about the matter at present." "If the wound should result fatally, I suppose you will at a small the President was dead. Amid the utmost excitement the story flew from mouth to mouth, and was listened to at first with incredulity, but as fresh confirmation of the rumor arrived, indignation took its of the president was dead. Amid the utmost excitement the story flew from mouth to mouth, and was listened to at first with incredulity, but as fresh confirmation of the that is think? Will you go by Washington to come relievant the story flew from monitor for the first of the f

crimes against persons as breeding the spirit of murder, is everywhere emphatic and outspoken. The hope that the President will survive, coupled with the fear that he will not, adds suspense to the excitement and intensifies it.

Commendable Sentiments from the Michigan Greenbackers.

Lansing, July 2.—On receiving the news of the attempted assassination of President Garfield, the Greenback meeting unanimously adopted the following:

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sination of President Garfield. When the first rumor was reported it was generally discredited, but on confirmatory dispatches being received the public mind began to realize the shocking news, and in a short time the whole city seemed moved. Crowds gathered rapidly at the news centers, anxious for the particulars. Expressions of deep regret at the dire calamity which has befallen the nation, and condemnation of the dastardly act are general.

The Times will say: "Though the mulerer was obviously of a disordered mind, with Garfield in the Presidential chair, but there is no anticipation of any serious trouble in any event. Sympathy is expressed for Mr. Garfield and his family.

Business is rather more quiet but not to any extent disturbed. At the meeting on 'Change at the Board of Trade to-day, the following was adopted and telegraphed to Washington:

Louisville, July 2, 1881.

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The Reserved of Trade of Louisville average and the linked the bitterness of his personal disappointment of the passionate animosity of a faction. His resentment was inflamed and intensified by the assaults upon the President, which have been common in too many circles for the past few months. Certainly, we are far from holding any party or section of a party responsible for this murderous attack, but we believe it our duty to point out tack, but we believe it our duty to point out

To the Secretary of State, Washington:
The Board of Trade of Louisville expresses its abhorrence of the attempted assassination of the President, and proffers its sympathy to his family and the country, with an earnest hope for his recovery.

JOHN R. GREEN, President.

ATLANTA, July 2.—In response to a call issued at noon to-day by the Mayor, a very large number of the best citizens assembled at DeGive's Operahouse this afternoon to give expression to their feelings regarding the assassination of President Garlield. The

CHARLESTON, July 2.—The attempted assassination of the President excited universal grief and horror in Charleston. The sorrow felt by the community is seen on the faces of all classes. The hope is expressed that he will soon recover. The Chamber of Commerce held a meeting at 2 p.m. Addresses the deepest crime the act of the assassin, and expressing a wish that the President may be restored to the people of the United States, to whom he is dear, without regard to political opinions, and expressing to the President and family the sympathy of the people of Charleston with them. As soon as the Mayor heard the news of the calamity he sent the

Our entire community is deeply shocked by the startling intelligence of the attempted assassination of the President, and I hasten to request that you will kindly express to Mrs. Garfield our prolound sympathy at this distressing time, and our sincere hope that the President's life may be spared to his family and the country.

WILLIAM V. COURTNEY,

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Mayor of Charleston.

Groups of citizens are collected about the streets discussing the news with saddened

SYMPATHY FROM ABROAD. The Queen's Sympathy. WASHINGTON, July 2 .- The following wa Blaine, Secretary, Washington

Telegram received. Express to Mrs. Garfiel he profound sympathy of this legation. Th gueen has sent to inquire and express solicitude. LOWELL, Minister. From the Court of St. James. WASHINGTON, July 2.-Sir Edward Thorn the Secretary of State, who was in attendance upon the President at the Executive Man-sion, between 4 and 5 o'clock, and delivered the following dispatch with many expressions of deep sorrow at the great traged

WHAT SOUTHERN PAPERS SAY.

SAVANNAH, July 2.-In its first edition

tion of the President. A public meeting has been called to denounce it.

The New York Commercial:
The Commercial says of the attempted assassination: "This crime threatens the existence of the nation. It reduces us, the free intelligent, enlightened Republic of the world to the level of a South American Confederato the level of a South American Contedera-tion or a Russian autocrecy. It is a senseless, savage, cold-blooded assassination of the na-tion through the heart of its most honored citizen. Mingled with a cry of grief and hor-ror that will ring throughout the Union, there will be heard one shout of joy: 'Thank God that the wretched murderer is

Speeches were made by Congressman Ham-mond, General John B. Gordon, Senator Brown, Chief-Justice Jackson and Ex-Gov-

ately after the deed, and which seemed to indicate political motives on his part, may well be taken for symptoms of insunity. It is hardly necessary to add that this event has given a shock to the minds and hearts of the American people only less grievous than that caused by the assassination of President Lincoln, not only by reason of President Garfield's personal popularity, but because every good citizen feels such occurrences to be the nation's misfortune and disgrace, and because no one, to whatever party he may belong, can close his eyes to the political confusion which must ensue from such a change The Express says: "The attempted assas nation of the President this morning shocked the country beyond measure." act was so dastardly and diabolical the country beyond measure.

There is only one party in America, in view of such a crime as this. This country is not large enough for political assassins to live in. The race of king-killers cannot get naturalized here. When a man becomes President he represents the whole American people. He stands for the nation. He represents order, peace and public good will He embodies the majesty of the Republic an i a bullet fired at him strikes all that moral; all that is American in the breasts of fifty millions of people. There is but one sentiment in the United States to-day of loyalty to the republic and shame and indignation that it has been assailed in the person of the President. It is of no consequence what led the assassin to fire the fatal shot. His act had no justification. It admits of no palliation but madness. Every American must set his face like steel against the invasion of this country by men who make the killing of rulers a trade. American liberty is kept sacred by the butwark of ther Northern cities, but want of space co

The New York Times.

FROM A MONETARY STANDPOINT. New York, July 2.—A representative of the Eccaing Post obtained from George S.

Coe, President of the American Exchange National Bank, that gentleman's view with respect to the effect of President Garfield's death upon the finances of the country. Mr.
Coe said the first effect of this news upon
Wall street is undoubtedly to shock capital
and cause some timidity, but this result will

Woodruff & Oliver CARRIAGES. BUGGIES. WAGONS.

ter of the men in whose name and like this was ever known before in the finance interest the deed was done, and whose desassassination of President Garfield. A call is out for an indignation meeting to-night, and signed mostly by Confederate soldiers.

New Orleans, La.

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planned this assassination as their last resort."

Angusta (Ga.) Chrontele.

Augusta, Gh., July 2.—This community was thrilled with horror and indignation on hearing of the shooting of Fresident Garfield, The Chronicle says: "It seems but all a matter of speculation. I feel that the yesterday that we beheld Mr. Garfield, smiling, happy, dignified and handsome, seated for men, and practically independent of the the President. Mayor Kramer has called a meeting of the citizens this evening to take suitable action and express their sympathy in the unfortunate calamity.

Nashville, Tem.

Solution of the President, and popular indiguation and abhorrence of the act is universal. Great anxiety to hear tidings of the wounded President's condition and expressions of sympathy and hope for his ultimate recovery are heard everywhere. Crowds are gathered about the newspaper offices and inquiries for news are dispatched from all parts of the State.

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righteous indignation swells in unbroken chorus over this whole land, protesting against the gigantic wrong, and demanding justice against the villain who horrified the Republic and disgraced the image of his Maker." METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. Time. | Bar. | Ther. | Wind. | Wearer. 7:00 a.m. 30.10 68 N.E. Clear. 2:06 p.m. 30.68 80 N.E. Cloudy. 9:00 p.m. 30.14 75 Calm. Clear. ther prominent Southern papers.-Eps

WHEELING, July 2.—River 5 feet 3 Inches, stationary. Weather clear and pleasant. PITTSBURG, July 2.—Noon—River 2 feet 9 inches, and falling. Weather clear and pleasant. Night—River 2 feet 7 inches, and falling. Weather clear -vyl warm. COMMENTS OF THE NEW YORK PRESS

CROCE—Saturday morning, July 2, 1881, at his residence, 62% Jefferson street, Gerando Croce, aged 72 years.

Friends and acquaintances of the family are in vited to attend his funeral this (SUNDAY) after roon, at 2 o'clock. SPICER-Friends and acquaintances of Sam S. and Fannie L. Spicer are invited to attend the funeral of their only son, SAMMIE, from their resilence, 396 Vance street, this (SUNDAY) afternoon

A NGERONA LODGE. No. 168 F. & A.M.
Will meet in stated communication
MONDAY NIGHT, July 4th, at 8 o'clock, Workingmen's B. and L. Ass'n NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE regular monthly meeting for payment of dues and transaction of other business will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, NEXT, July 5th, at 80 clock, at the office of the Association, Room No. 20, Planters Insurance Building, Fines for non-payment will be strictly enforced. Members are urgently requested to attend.

N. W. SPEERS, JR., President.

CHAS. T. PATERSON, Secretary. Memphis Building and Savings Ass'n.

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J. C. MILLS, Receiver.